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A. Against the State or Society	158,450 (of these drunkenness 144,966)
B. Against individuals	7,541 (of these, murder 84)
C. Larceny	99,536
II. Criminal actions against the Law on Liquor Trade (including the unlawful preparing and selling of alcohol)	14,101
III. Other criminal actions (including traffic violations and violations against the rationing of goods)	85,399

•696 For retention of criminals there are State penitentiaries and prisons; minor offenses result in payment of fines, for which a period of imprisonment may be substituted. In 1944 the times for imprisonment in the criminal cases handled varied as follows:

Penitentiaries

696 Less than 6 months	2
6-12 months	671
1-2 years	547
2-4 years	301
4-8 years	121
8-12 years	33
12 years or more	5
Life imprisonment	8

Prisons

Less than 3 months	880
3-6 months	3072
6-9 months	1995
9-12 months	376
1-2 years	431
2-4 years	51
4 years or more	7

In 1942 the number of persons fined was

796 53, 178.

In 1944 the inmates (totalling 8513 persons) in various penitentiaries were divided as follows:

	Men	Women
In State Penitentiaries	5, 340	441
In prisons	2, 379	328
Imprisoned for fines	156	64
In Work Institutions	639	282

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